

MALUS SYLVESTRIS. 26475. Seed of a wild apple from Kashmir, India, presented by Mr. J. Mollison. Bears fruit when 6 years old and 20 feet high. For distribution later.

MEDICAGO SPP. 26070-077. Eight varieties of bur clover grown at Plant Introduction Garden, Chico, California, by Mr. Roland McKee. Small quantities of seed on hand for experiment. 26070. *M. hispida confinis*. A prickless form of bur clover, well adapted for pasturage, especially for sheep. It should be tested throughout the South and Southwest. 26071-072. *M. hispida nigra*, will perhaps succeed wherever *M. hispida denticulata* or *M. arabica* does well. In California it is perhaps a little more aggressive than *M. hispida*. Of value for pasturage and soil improvement. 26073-074. *M. hispida Gaertn.* Of value for pasturage and soil improvement, wherever common bur clover is adapted. 26075. *M. hispida terebellum*. This is practically a prickless form of bur clover and needs to be tested extensively in the West and South for pasturage and soil improvement. 26076. *M. muricata*. A form of bur clover having a large but very hard bur. Should be tested in sections adapted to bur clover. 26077. *M. scutellata*. A form of bur clover having a very large, papery pod, making it especially desirable for pasturage. It should be tested in particular in the warmer sections of the South.

PENNISETUM PEDICELLATUM. Var. *occidentale*. 26476. Pearl millet from Senegal, West Africa. Presented by Dr. L. Trabut. For distribution later.

PHOENIX DACTYLIFERA. 26477-484. Eight varieties of dates from Tripoli-in-Barbary, North Africa. Procured by the American vice consul at the request of Mr. Wm. Coffin, formerly American consul.

PRUNUS ARMENIACA. 26473. Seed of a wild apricot from Kashmir, India, presented by Mr. J. Mollison. For distribution later. 26502. Seed of apricot from Chinese Turkestan, presented by Mr. E. Cotes, Simla, India.